



*Memo
Chino*

The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D.C. 20505

2 November 1984

Dear Jack,

Here is the information on
the one I mentioned to you at the NSPG meeting
this week as having been suggested as a possible
NIO for General Purpose Forces. At that time
you indicated you had a list of your own.

I would like to go ahead and get the right
fellow for this post as soon as possible.

Yours,

Bill
William J. Casey

General John W. Vessey, Jr.
Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff
The Pentagon
Washington, D. C. 20301

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18 September 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: In Search of Excellence - NIO, General Purpose Forces

1. I understand that MG Atkeson, the incumbent NIO/GPF, will be departing for a new assignment in late October 1984 and as of this date no replacement has been nominated. (U)

2. We have recently been working with [redacted] who is currently [redacted] and Chairman of [redacted] is due for reassignment--probably sometime in October--and, quite by chance, asked me if I knew of any challenging positions in the Washington area. I told him that the NIO/GPF position would be vacant soon, and explained that position to him. (A-IUO)

3. Although I have never served with [redacted] his reputation is outstanding throughout the [redacted]

4. I believe your consideration of [redacted] for the NIO/GPF position would be in keeping with the "In Search of Excellence Program." [redacted] has the qualifications, interest and enthusiasm to do an outstanding job as the National Intelligence Officer for General Purpose Forces. He is aware that I am suggesting he be considered for the position. (A-IUO)

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